

SOLICITATION, OFFER AND AWARD		1. THIS CONTRACT IS A RATED ORDER UNDER DPAS (15 CFR 350)		RATING DO-C9	PAGE OF 1 22 PAGES	
2. CONTRACT NO.		3. SOLICITATION NO. N00173-04-R-DB01		4. TYPE OF SOLICITATION <input type="checkbox"/> SEALED BID (IFB) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEGOTIATED (RFP)		5. DATE ISSUED 19 Feb 2004
7. ISSUED BY CONTRACTING OFFICER NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY 4555 OVERLOOK AVENUE SW WASHINGTON DC 20375-5326 ATTN: CODE 3230DB		CODE		6. REQUISITION/PURCHASE NO. 56-9314-04		8. ADDRESS OFFER TO (If other than Item 7)

NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations "offer" and "offeror" mean "bid" and "bidder".

SOLICITATION

9. Sealed offers in original and 2 copies for furnishing the supplies or services in the Schedule will be received at the place specified in Item 8, or if handcarried, in the depository located in See Section L-2 until 4 PM local time 22 Mar 2004
(Hour) (Date)

CAUTION - LATE Submissions, Modifications, and Withdrawals: See Section L, Provision No. 52.214-7 or 52.215-10. All offers are subject to all terms and conditions contained in this solicitation.

10. FOR INFORMATION CALL:	A. NAME Dan Brinkworth	B. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code) (NO COLLECT CALLS) 202 767-6746
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OFFER (Must be fully completed by offeror)

NOTE: Item 12 does not apply if the solicitation includes the provisions at 52.214-16, Minimum Bid Acceptance Period.

12. In compliance with the above, the undersigned agrees, if this offer is accepted within _____ calendar days (60 calendar days unless a different period is inserted by the offeror) from the date for receipt of offers specified above, to furnish any or all items upon which prices are offered at the price set opposite each item, delivered at the designated point(s), within the time specified in the schedule.

13. DISCOUNT FOR PROMPT PAYMENT (See Section I, Clause No. 52-232-8)	10 CALENDAR DAYS	20 CALENDAR DAYS	30 CALENDAR DAYS	CALENDAR DAYS
	%	%	%	%
14. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF AMENDMENTS (The offeror acknowledges receipt of amendments to the SOLICITATION for offerors and related documents numbered and dated:	AMENDMENT NO.	DATE	AMENDMENT NO.	DATE

15A. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OFFEROR	CODE	FACILITY	16. NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN OFFER (Type or print)
15B. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code)			17. SIGNATURE
15C. CHECK IF REMITTANCE ADDRESS IS DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE - ENTER SUCH ADDRESS IN SCHEDULE.			18. OFFER DATE

AWARD (To be completed by Government)

19. ACCEPTED AS TO ITEMS NUMBERED	20. AMOUNT	21. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION
22. AUTHORITY FOR USING OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION: <input type="checkbox"/> 10 U.S.C. 2304(c) () <input type="checkbox"/> 41 U.S.C. 253(c) ()		23. SUBMIT INVOICES TO ADDRESS SHOWN IN (4 copies unless otherwise specified)
24. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than Item 7) CODE		25. PAYMENT WILL BE MADE BY CODE
26. NAME OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)		27. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (Signature of Contracting Officer)
		28. AWARD DATE

IMPORTANT - Award will be made on this Form, or on Standard Form 26, or by other authorized official written notice.

**PART I - THE SCHEDULE
SECTION B
SUPPLIES OR SERVICES AND PRICES/COSTS**

B-1 SUPPLIES/SERVICES AND COSTS

ITEM NUMBER	SUPPLIES/SERVICES	ESTIMATED COST	FIXED FEE	ESTIMATED COST PLUS FIXED FEE
0001	The Contractor shall Conduct research in Accordance with Section C.	\$	\$	\$
0002	Data in accordance with Exhibit A (DD 1423)	* NSP	* NSP	* NSP
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST PLUS FIXED FEES			\$	\$

* Not Separately Priced

NOTICE TO OFFERORS: In addition to inserting the estimated cost and fixed fee for the base year above, the estimated cost and fixed fee for each optional extension of the term of the contract are to be inserted in Section H.

**SECTION C
DESCRIPTION/SPECIFICATIONS/STATEMENT OF WORK**

C-1 STATEMENT OF WORK

The work and services to be performed hereunder shall be subject to the requirements and standards contained in Attachment (1), Statement of Work, with Exhibit A, Contract Data Requirements List, and all other Attachments cited in Section J, which are incorporated by reference into Section C.

C-2 SUBCONTRACTING PLAN

Subcontracting Plan _____ dated _____ is hereby incorporated by reference and made a material part of this contract.

*(*this provision will be included and completed at time of award, if applicable)*

SECTION D PACKAGING AND MARKING

D-1 PACKAGING AND MARKING

Preservation, packaging, packing and marking of all deliverable contract line items must conform to normal commercial packing standards to assure safe delivery at destination.

SECTION E INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

E-1 INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE

FAR CLAUSE TITLE

52.246-9 - Inspection Of Research And Development (Short Form) (APR 1984)

DFARS CLAUSE TITLE

252.246-7000 - Material Inspection And Receiving Report (MAR 2003)

E-2 INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

Inspection and acceptance of the final delivery will be accomplished by the Technical Manager (TM) or Contracting Officer Representative (COR) designated in Section G of this contract. Inspection and acceptance will be performed at the Naval Research Laboratory, Washington DC 20375-5320.

SECTION F DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE

F-1 DELIVERIES OR PERFORMANCE CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE:

FAR CLAUSE TITLE

52.242-15 - Stop-Work Order (AUG 1989) - Alternate I (APR 1984)

52.247-34 - F.O.B. Destination (NOV 1991)

F-2 PERIOD AND PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

(a) The term of this contract is from Date of contract award through twelve (12) months. Option periods, if exercised by the Government shall commence upon the completion of the proceeding period of performance and continue through twelve (12) months.

(b) The principal place of performance of this contract shall be at the contractor's facility.

SECTION G
CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION DATA

G-1 PROCURING OFFICE REPRESENTATIVE

In order to expedite administration of the contract, the Administrative Contracting Officer (ACO) will direct inquiries to the appropriate office listed below. Please do not direct routine inquiries to the person listed in Item 20A on Standard Form 26.

Security Matters- Contracting Officer for Security, Code 1221, (202) 767-2240, DSN 297-2240, email security-group@nrl.navy.mil

Safety Matters- Head Safety Branch, Code 3540, (202) 767-2232, DSN 297-2232, email safety@nrl.navy.mil

Patent Matters-Associate Counsel (Intellectual Property), Code 1008.2, (202) 404-1552, DSN 297-1552, email patents@nrl.navy.mil

Release of Data-Public Affairs Officer, Code 1030 (202) 767-2541, DSN 297-2541, email publicaffairs@nrl.navy.mil

G-2 CONTRACTING OFFICER'S REPRESENTATIVE (COR) - FUNCTIONS AND LIMITATIONS

* is hereby designated the cognizant COR who will represent the Contracting Officer in the administration of technical details within the scope of this contract and inspection and acceptance. The COR is not otherwise authorized to make any representations or commitments of any kind on behalf of the Contracting Officer or the Government. The COR does not have the authority to alter the Contractor's obligations or change the specifications in the contract. If, as a result of technical discussions, it is desirable to alter contract obligations or statements of work, a modification must be issued in writing and signed by the Contracting Officer. The COR is responsible for reviewing the bills and charges submitted by the Contractor and informing the ACO of areas where exceptions are to be taken.

*(* To be completed at time of award)*

G-3 ONR 5252.242-9718 - TECHNICAL DIRECTION (FEB 02)

(a) Performance of the work hereunder is subject to the technical direction of the Scientific Officer/COR designated in this contract, or his duly authorized representative. For the purposes of this clause, technical direction includes the following:

- (1) Direction to the Contractor which shifts work emphasis between work areas or tasks, requires pursuit of certain lines of inquiry, fills in details or otherwise serves to accomplish the objectives described in the statement of work;
- (2) Guidelines to the Contractor which assist in the interpretation of drawings, specifications or technical portions of work description.

(b) Technical direction must be within the general scope of work stated in the contract. Technical direction may not be used to:

- (1) Assign additional work under the contract,
- (2) Direct a change as defined in the contract clause entitled "Changes";

- (3) Increase or decrease the estimated contract cost, the fixed fee, or the time required for contract performance; or
- (4) Change any of the terms, conditions or specifications of the contract.
- (c) The only individual authorized to in any way amend or modify any of the terms of this contract shall be the Contracting Officer. When, in the opinion of the Contractor, any technical direction calls for effort outside the scope of the contract or inconsistent with this special provision, the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing within ten working days after its receipt. The Contractor shall not proceed with the work affected by the technical direction until the Contractor is notified by the Contracting Officer that the technical direction is within the scope of the contract.
- (d) Nothing in the foregoing paragraphs may be construed to excuse the Contractor from performing that portion of work statement, which is not affected by the disputed technical direction.

G-4 SUBCONTRACTORS/CONSULTANTS

- (a) Advance notification or requests for consent pursuant to the contract clause entitled "Subcontracts" (FAR 52.244-2) shall be directed to the cognizant administrative contracting officer (ACO).
- (b) The following subcontractors/consultants have been identified in the Contractor's proposal as necessary for performance of this contract:

Subcontractor/Consultant Name

Estimated Cost

(Paragraph (b) will be included and filled in at time of award if subcontractor/consultants are proposed by the successful offeror)

G-5 INCREMENTAL FUNDING

Pursuant to the Limitation of Funds clause (FAR 52.232-22), the total amount allotted to this contract is \$* and it is estimated that this amount is sufficient for contract performance through * .
*(*this provision will be included and completed at time of award, if applicable)*

G-6 INFORMATIONAL SUBLINE ITEMS

It is anticipated that the research and development services performed under this contract will be paid for from multiple sources of funds. Informational subline items will be established as necessary to identify each accounting citation classification.

G-7 SPECIAL PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS- MULTIPLE ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION CITATIONS (COST-REIMBURSEMENT)

Payments shall be made in accordance with the ACRN(s) cited on the contractor's invoice. The Contractor may contact the COR regarding which ACRN(s) to cite on an invoice.

SECTION H SPECIAL CONTRACT REQUIREMENTS

H-1 TYPE OF CONTRACT

This is a *

*(*To be completed at time of award)*

H-2 ONR 5252.237-9705 - KEY PERSONNEL (DEC 88)

(a) The Contractor agrees to assign to the contract tasks those persons whose resumes were submitted with its proposal and who are necessary to fulfill the requirements of the contract as "key personnel". No substitutions may be made except in accordance with this clause.

(b) The Contractor understands that during the first ninety (90) days of the contract performance period, no personnel substitutions will be permitted unless these substitutions are unavoidable because of the incumbent's sudden illness, death or termination of employment. In any of these events, the Contractor shall promptly notify the Contracting Officer and provide the information described in paragraph (c) below. After the initial ninety (90) day period the Contractor must submit to the Contracting Officer all proposed substitutions, in writing, at least thirty (30) days in advance (sixty (60) days if security clearance must be obtained) of any proposed substitution and provide the information required by paragraph (c) below.

(c) Any request for substitution must include a detailed explanation of the circumstances necessitating the proposed substitution, a resume for the proposed substitute, and any other information requested by the Contracting Officer. Any proposed substitute must have qualifications equal to or superior to the qualifications of the incumbent. The Contracting Officer or his/her authorized representative will evaluate such requests and promptly notify the Contractor of his/her approval or disapproval thereof.

(d) In the event that any of the identified key personnel cease to perform under the contract and the substitute is disapproved, the contract may be immediately terminated in accordance with the Termination clause of the contract.

The following are identified as key personnel: *

*(*To be completed at time of award)*

Labor Category	First/M/Last Name

H-3 ONR 5252.216-9706 - LEVEL OF EFFORT (DEC 88)

(a) The Contractor agrees to provide the total level of effort specified in the next sentence in performance of the work described in this contract. The total level of effort for performance of this contract shall be 2100 total hours of direct labor for the base year and each option year if exercised by the Government, including subcontractor direct labor for those subcontractors specifically identified in the Contractor's proposal as having hours included in the proposed level of effort. A breakdown of labor categories and hours is set forth in paragraph (k) below.

(b) The level of effort for this contract shall be expended at an average rate of 175 hours per month. It is understood and agreed that the rate of hours per month may fluctuate in pursuit of the

technical objective, provided such fluctuation does not result in the use of the total hours of effort prior to the expiration of the term of the contract.

(c) The Contractor is required to notify the Contracting Officer when any of the following situations occur, or are anticipated to occur: If during any three consecutive months the monthly average is exceeded by 25% or, if at any time it is forecast that during the last three months of the contract less than 50% of the monthly average will be used during any given month; or, when 85% of the total level of effort has been expended.

(d) If, during the term of the contract, the Contractor finds it necessary to accelerate the expenditure of direct labor to such an extent that the total hours of effort specified would be used prior to the expiration of the term, the Contractor shall notify the Contracting Officer in writing, setting forth the acceleration required, the probable benefits which would result, and an offer to undertake the acceleration at no increase in the estimated cost or fixed fee together with an offer setting forth a proposed level of effort, cost breakdown, and proposed fixed fee for continuation of the work until expiration of the term hereof. The offer shall provide that the work proposed will be subject to the terms and conditions of this contract and any additions or changes required by then current law, regulations, or directives, and that the offer, with a written notice of acceptance by the Contracting Officer, shall constitute a binding contract. The Contractor shall not accelerate any effort until receipt of such written approval by the Contracting Officer. Any agreement to accelerate will be formalized by contract modification.

(e) The Contracting Officer may, by written order, direct the Contractor to accelerate the expenditure of direct labor such that the total hours of effort specified in paragraph (a) above would be used prior to the expiration of the term. This order shall specify the acceleration required and the resulting revised term. The Contractor shall acknowledge this order within five days of receipt.

(f) If the total level of effort specified in paragraph (a) above is not provided by the Contractor during the term of this contract, the Contracting Officer shall either (i) reduce the fixed fee of this contract as follows:

$$\text{Fee Reduction} = \text{Fixed Fee} \times \frac{(\text{Required LOE Hours} - \text{Expended LOE Hours})}{\text{Required LOE Hours}}$$

or (ii) subject to the provisions of the clause of this contract entitled "Limitation of Cost," require the Contractor to continue to perform the work until the total number of hours of direct labor specified in paragraph (a) shall have been expended, at no increase in the fixed fee of this contract.

(g) In the event the government fails to fully fund the contract in a timely manner, the term of the contract may be extended accordingly with no change to cost or fee. If the government fails to fully fund the contract, the fee will be adjusted in direct proportion to that effort which was performed.

(h) Notwithstanding any of the provisions in the above paragraphs, the Contractor may furnish hours up to five percent in excess of the total hours specified in paragraph (a) above, provided that the additional effort is furnished within the term hereof, and provided further that no increase in the estimated cost or fixed fee is required, and no adjustment in the fixed fee shall be made provided that the Contractor has delivered at least 95% of the level of effort required in paragraph (a) above.

(i) It is understood that the mix of labor categories provided by the Contractor under the contract, as well as the distribution of effort among those categories, may vary considerably from the initial mix and distribution of effort which was estimated by the government or proposed by the Contractor.

(j) Nothing herein shall be construed to alter or waive any of the rights or obligations of either party pursuant to the Clause entitled "Limitation of Costs" or "Limitation of Funds," either of which clauses as incorporated herein applies to this contract.

(k) The anticipated breakdown by labor category of the total level of effort is as follows:

Labor Category

Hours

Senior Engineer (Design	600
Mid-Level Engineer (Code & Test)	1000
Senior Engineer (Integrate & Test)	500

H-4 ONR 5252.235-9714 - REPORT PREPARATION (FEB 02)

Scientific or technical reports prepared by the Contractor and deliverable under the terms of this contract will be prepared in accordance with format requirements contained in ANSI/NISO Z39.18-1995, Scientific and Technical Reports: Elements, Organization, and Design.

[NOTE: All NISO American National Standards are available as free, downloadable pdf(s) at <http://www.niso.org/standards/index.html> . NISO standards can also be purchased in hardcopy form from NISO Press Fulfillment, P. O. Box 451, Annapolis Junction, MD 20701-0451 USA. Telephone U.S. and Canada: (877) 736-6476; Outside the U.S. and Canada: 301-362-6904 ax: 301-206-9789.]

H-5 ELECTRONIC AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (EIT)

In accordance with Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 U.S.C. 794d), all EIT supplies and services provided under this contract must comply with the applicable accessibility standards issued by the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board at 36 CFR part 1194 (see FAR Subpart 39.2). Electronic and information technology (EIT) is defined at FAR 2.101.

H-6 OPTION TO EXTEND THE TERM OF THE CONTRACT

This contract shall be renewable at the unilateral option of the Government by the Contracting Officer giving written notice of renewal to the Contractor within the existing term of the contract. The Government may exercise its option to renew the contract a total of four (4) times and each such renewal shall extend the term of the contract by twelve (12) months. The Contractor agrees that performance under each such renewal shall be accomplished in accordance with all of the terms and conditions of this contract and at the estimated cost and fixed fee set forth below:

First Option

Estimated Cost:	\$
Fixed Fee:	\$
Estimated Cost Plus Fixed Fee:	\$

Second Option

Estimated Cost:	\$
Fixed Fee:	\$
Estimated Cost Plus Fixed Fee:	\$

Third Option

Estimated Cost:	\$
Fixed Fee:	\$
Estimated Cost Plus Fixed Fee:	\$

Fourth Option

Estimated Cost:	\$
Fixed Fee:	\$
Estimated Cost Plus Fixed Fee:	\$

H-7 REPRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATIONS

The Contractor's completed Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Offerors or Respondents is incorporated herein by reference in any resultant award.

H-8 SUBCONTRACTING PLAN

The contractor's Comprehensive Small Business Subcontracting Plan is incorporated into this contract in accordance with DFARS SUBPART 219.7 *Test Program for Negotiation of Comprehensive Small Business Subcontracting Plans*.

**PART II - CONTRACT CLAUSES
SECTION I
CONTRACT CLAUSES**

I-1 FAR 52.252-2 - CLAUSES INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (FEB 1998)

This contract incorporates one or more clauses by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. Also, the full text of a clause may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es):

<http://www.arnet.gov/far>
<http://heron.nrl.navy.mil/contracts/home.htm>

a. FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION CLAUSES

<u>FAR CLAUSE</u>	<u>TITLE</u>
52.202-1	- Definitions (DEC 2001)
52.203-3	- Gratuities (APR 1984)
52.203-5	- Covenant Against Contingent Fees (APR 1984)
52.203-6	- Restrictions On Subcontractor Sales To The Government (JUL 1995)
52.203-7	- Anti-Kickback Procedures (JUL 1995)
52.203-8	- Cancellation, Rescission, And Recovery Of Funds For Illegal Or Improper Activity (JAN 1997)
52.203-10	- Price Or Fee Adjustment For Illegal Or Improper Activity (JAN 1997)
52.203-12	- Limitation On Payments To Influence Certain Federal Transactions (JUN 2003)
52.204-4	- Printed Or Copied Double-Sided On Recycled Paper (AUG 2000)
52.209-6	- Protecting The Government's Interest When Subcontracting With Contractors Debarred, Suspended, Or Proposed For Debarment (JUL 1995)
52.211-15	- Defense Priority And Allocation Requirements (SEP 1990)
52.215-2	- Audit And Records-Negotiation (JUN 1999)
52.215-8	- Order Of Precedence - Uniform Contract Format (OCT 1997)
52.215-10	- Price Reduction For Defective Cost Or Pricing Data (OCT 1997)
52.215-11	- Price Reduction For Defective Cost Or Pricing Data - Modifications (OCT 1997)
52.215-12	- Subcontractor Cost Or Pricing Data (OCT 1997)
52.215-13	- Subcontractor Cost Or Pricing Data Modifications (OCT 1997)
52.215-14	- Integrity Of Unit Prices (OCT 1997)
52.215-15	- Pension Adjustments And Asset Reversions (JAN 2004)
52.215-17	- Waiver Of Facilities Capital Cost Of Money (OCT 1997) <i>(will be included if the successful offeror does not propose facilities capital cost of money)</i>
52.215-18	- Reversion Or Adjustment Of Plans For Post-Retirement Benefits (PRB) Other Than Pensions (OCT 1997)
52.215-19	- Notification Of Ownership Changes (OCT 1997)
52.215-21	- Requirements For Cost Or Pricing Data Or Information Other Than Cost or Pricing Data -Modifications (OCT 1997)
52.216-7	- Allowable Cost And Payment (DEC 2002) (fill in <u>30th</u>
52.216-8	- Fixed-Fee (MAR 1997)
52.219-4	- Notice Of Price Evaluation Preference For HUBZone Small Business Concerns (JAN 1999) <input type="checkbox"/> Offeror elects to waive the evaluation preference.
52.219-8	- Utilization Of Small Business Concerns (OCT 2000)
52.219-9	- Small Business Subcontracting Plan (JAN 2002) - Alternate II (OCT 2001)
52.219-16	- Liquidated Damages-Subcontracting Plan (JAN 1999)
52.219-25	- Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program-Disadvantaged Status And Reporting (OCT 1999)
52.222-2	- Payment For Overtime Premiums (JUL 1990) -The Use Of Overtime Is Authorized Under This Contract If The Overtime Premium Does Not Exceed <u>"0"</u>
52.222-3	- Convict Labor (JUN 2003)
52.222-21	- Prohibition Of Segregated Facilities (FEB 1999)
52.222-26	- Equal Opportunity (APR 2002)
52.222-35	- Equal Opportunity For Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans Of The Vietnam Era,

- And Other Eligible Veterans (DEC 2001)
- 52.222-36 - Affirmative Action For Workers With Disabilities (JUN 1998)
- 52.222-37 - Employment Reports On Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans Of The Vietnam Era, And Other Eligible Veterans (DEC 2001)
- 52.223-6 - Drug-Free Workplace (MAY 2001)
- 52.223-14 - Toxic Chemical Release Reporting (AUG 2003)
- 52.225-13 - Restrictions On Certain Foreign Purchases (JAN 2004)
- 52.227-1 - Authorization And Consent (JUL 1995)- Alternate I (APR 1984)
- 52.227-2 - Notice And Assistance Regarding Patent And Copyright Infringement (AUG 1996)
- 52.227-11 - Patent Rights - Retention By The Contractor (Short Form) (JUN 1997)
(will be included if the successful offeror is a small business or a non-profit organization)
- 52.227-12 - Patent Rights - Retention By The Contractor (Long Form) (JAN 1997)
(will be included if the successful offeror is not a small business or a non-profit organization)
- 52.228-7 - Insurance - Liability To Third Persons (MAR 1996)
- 52.230-2 - Cost Accounting Standards (APR 1998)
- 52.230-3 - Disclosure And Consistency Of Cost Accounting Practices (APR 1998)
- 52.230-6 - Administration Of Cost Accounting Standards (NOV 1999)
- 52.232-9 - Limitation On Withholding Of Payments (APR 1984)
- 52.232-17 - Interest (JUN 1996)
- 52.232-18 - Availability Of Funds (APR 1984)
- 52.232-20 - Limitation Of Cost (APR 1984) (Applicable when the contract or task order is fully funded)
- 52.232-22 - Limitation Of Funds (APR 1984) (Applicable when the contract or task order is not fully funded)
- 52.232-23 - Assignment Of Claims (JAN 1986) Alternate I (APR 1984)
- 52.232-25 - Prompt Payment (OCT 2003) Alternate I (FEB 2002)
- 52.232-33 - Payment By Electronic Funds Transfer-Central Contractor Registration (OCT 2003)
- 52.233-1 - Disputes (JUL 2002) - Alternate I (DEC 1991)
- 52.233-3 - Protest After Award (AUG 1996) - Alternate I (JUN 1985)
- 52.242-1 - Notice Of Intent To Disallow Costs (APR 1984)
- 52.242-3 - Penalties For Unallowable Costs (MAY 2001)
- 52.242-4 - Certification Of Final Indirect Costs (JAN 1997)
- 52.242-13 - Bankruptcy (JUL 1995)
- 52.243-2 - Changes - Cost-Reimbursement (AUG 1987) - Alternate V (APR 1984)
- 52.244-5 - Competition In Subcontracting (DEC 1996)
- 52.244-6 - Subcontracts For Commercial Items And Commercial Components (APR 2003)
- 52.245-5 - Government Property (Cost-Reimbursement, Time-And-Material, Or Labor-Hour Contracts) (JUN 2003) (DEVIATION)
- 52.245-18 - Special Test Equipment (FEB 1993)
- 52.246-23 - Limitation Of Liability (FEB 1997)
- 52.246-25 - Limitation Of Liability - Services (FEB 1997)
- 52.247-1 - Commercial Bill Of Lading Notations (APR 1984)
- 52.247-63 - Preference For U. S. Flag Carriers (JUN 2003)
- 52.249-6 - Termination (Cost-Reimbursement) (SEP 1996)
- 52.249-14 - Excusable Delays (APR 1984)
- 52.251-1 - Government Supply Sources (APR 1984)

- 52.252-6 - Authorized Deviations in Clauses (APR 1984)(fill in Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (48 CFR Chapter 2))
- 52.253-1 - Computer Generated Forms (JAN 1991)

b. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE FEDERAL ACQUISITION REGULATION CLAUSES

DFARS CLAUSE TITLE

- 252.201-7000 - Contracting Officer's Representative (DEC 1991)
- 252.203-7001 - Prohibition On Persons Convicted Of Fraud Or Other Defense Contract Related Felonies (MAR 1999)
- 252.204-7000 - Disclosure Of Information (DEC 1991)
- 252.204-7003 - Control Of Government Personnel Work Product (APR 1992)
- 252.204-7004 - Alternate A (NOV 2003)
- 252.205-7000 - Provision Of Information To Cooperative Agreement Holders (DEC 1991)
- 252.209-7000 - Acquisition From Subcontractors Subject To On-Site Inspection Under The Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces (INF) Treaty (NOV 1995)
- 252.209-7004 - Subcontracting With Firms That Are Owned Or Controlled By The Government Of A Terrorist Country (MAR 1998)
- 252.215-7000 - Pricing Adjustments (DEC 1991)
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- 252.226-7001 - Utilization of Indian Organizations, Indian-Owned Economic Enterprises, And Native Hawaiian Small Business Concerns (OCT 2003)
- 252.227-7000 - Non Estoppel (OCT 1966)
- 252.227-7001 - Release Of Past Infringement (AUG 1984)
- 252.227-7013 - Rights In Technical Data -- Noncommercial Items (NOV 1995)
- 252.227-7014 - Rights In Noncommercial Computer Software And Noncommercial Computer Software Documentation (JUN 1995)
- 252.227-7016 - Rights In Bid Or Proposal Information (JUN 1995)
- 252.227-7019 - Validation Of Asserted Restrictions--Computer Software (JUN 1995)
- 252.227-7030 - Technical Data--Withholding Of Payment (MAR 2000)
- 252.227-7034 - Patents--Subcontracts (APR 1984)
- 252.227-7036 - Declaration Of Technical Data Conformity (JAN 1997)
- 252.227-7037 - Validation Of Restrictive Markings On Technical Data (SEP 1999)
- 252.227-7039 - Patents--Reporting Of Subject Inventions (APR 1990)
- 252.231-7000 - Supplemental Cost Principles (DEC 1991)
- 252.232-7003 - Electronic Submission Of Payment Requests (JAN 2004)
- 252.235-7010 - Acknowledgment Of Support And Disclaimer (MAY 1995)
- 252.235-7011 - Final Scientific Or Technical Report (SEP 1999)
- 252.242-7000 - Post Award Conference (DEC 1991)

- 252.242-7004 - Material Management And Accounting System (DEC 2000)
- 252.243-7002 - Requests For Equitable Adjustment (MAR 1998)
- 252.244-7000 - Subcontracts For Commercial Items And Commercial Components (DOD Contracts) (MAR 2000)
- 252.245-7001 - Reports Of Government Property (MAY 1994)
- 252.247-7023 - Transportation Of Supplies By Sea (MAY 2002)
- 252.247-7024 - Notification Of Transportation Of Supplies By Sea (MAR 2000)
(will be included if the successful offeror made a negative response to the inquiry at DFARS 252.247-7022)
- 252.251-7000 - Ordering From Government Supply Sources (OCT 2002)

I-2 FAR 52.223-11 - OZONE-DEPLETING SUBSTANCES (MAY 2001)

- (a) *Definitions.* "Ozone-depleting substance", as used in this clause, means any substance the Environmental Protection Agency designates in 40 CFR Part 82 as –
- (1) Class I, including, but not limited to, chlorofluorocarbons, halons, carbon tetrachloride, and methyl chloroform; or
 - (2) Class II, including, but not limited to, hydrochlorofluorocarbons.
- (b) The Contractor shall label products which contain or are manufactured with ozone-depleting substances in the manner and to the extent required by 42 U.S.C. 7671j (b), (c), and (d) and 40 CFR Part 82, Subpart E, as follows:

WARNING

Contains (or manufactured with, if applicable) * _____, a substance(s) which harm(s) public health and environment by destroying ozone in the upper atmosphere.

*The Contractor shall insert the name of the substance(s).

PART III - LIST OF DOCUMENTS, EXHIBITS, AND OTHER ATTACHMENTS
SECTION J
LIST OF ATTACHMENTS

- J-1** Attachment (1) - Statement Of Work and enclosure (1) 5 Pages, With Exhibit A - DD Form 1423, Contract Data Requirements List, 1 Page.
- J-2** Attachment () – Accounting and Appropriation Data- 1 page. *
(To be included at time of award)*

PART IV - REPRESENTATIONS AND INSTRUCTIONS
SECTION - K
REPRESENTATIONS, CERTIFICATIONS
AND OTHER STATEMENTS OF OFFERORS OR RESPONDENTS

K-1 Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Offerors or Respondents

Each Offeror must submit a completed Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements Of Offerors or Respondents with its proposal which is available electronically in full text at <http://heron.nrl.navy.mil/contracts/rep&certs.htm>

Use Representations and Certifications: A

K-2 FILL IN FOR FAR 52.219-1 - SMALL BUSINESS PROGRAM REPRESENTATIONS (APR 2002)

The fill in information is as follows:

The NAICS code for this acquisition is 541330

The small business size standard is. \$4M

SECTION L
INSTRUCTIONS CONDITIONS AND NOTICES
TO OFFERORS OR RESPONDENTS

L-1 FAR 52.252-1 SOLICITATION PROVISIONS INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE (FEB 1998)

This solicitation incorporates one or more solicitation provisions by reference, with the same force and effect as if they were given in full text. Upon request, the Contracting Officer will make their full text available. The offeror is cautioned that the listed provisions may include blocks that must be completed by the offeror and submitted with its quotation or offer. In lieu of submitting the full text of those provisions, the offeror may identify the provision by paragraph identifier and provide the appropriate information with its quotation or offer. Also, the full text of a solicitation provision may be accessed electronically at this/these address(es):

<http://www.arnet.gov/far>

<http://heron.nrl.navy.mil/contracts/home.htm>

FAR CLAUSE TITLE

52.204-6	-	Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) Number (OCT 2003)
52.204-7	-	Central Contractor Registration (OCT 2003)
52.214-34	-	Submission Of Offers In The English Language (APR 1991)
52.214-35	-	Submission Of Offers In U.S. Currency (APR 1991)
52.215-1	-	Instructions To Offerors- Competitive Acquisition (JAN 2004)
52.215-16	-	Facilities Capital Cost Of Money (JUN 2003)
52.219-24	-	Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program - Targets (OCT 2000)

52.237-10 - Identification Of Uncompensated Overtime (OCT 1997)

DFAR CLAUSE TITLE

252.209-7001- Disclosure Of Ownership Or Control By The Government Of A Terrorist Country
(MAR 1998)

L-2 INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS/OFFERS

All proposals shall be submitted in accordance with FAR 52.215-1- *Instructions to Offerors-Competitive Acquisition*. Proposals/offers submitted in paper media through the United States Postal Service (USPS) or delivery services shall be addressed to:

Contracting Officer, ATTN: Code _3230DB_____
Naval Research Laboratory(NRL)
4555 Overlook Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20375

Solicitation/RFP No. – N00173-04-R-DB01

Closing Date: _____ Time _____

Proposals may be hand delivered to the Contracting Office, NRL, 4555 Overlook Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20375, Building 222, Room 115 between the hours of 8AM until 4PM, local time, excluding weekends and federal holidays. NRL is a controlled-access facility. Photo identification will be required. Report first to Building 72, Visitor Control for access to NRL. After receiving a Visitor Pass, proceed directly to Building 222, Room 115, Contracting Office Receptionist to deliver the proposal. All offerors shall allow sufficient time for delivery of their proposal to the Contracting Office prior to the closing date and time announced in the solicitation. Directions and additional information about NRL is available at <http://www.nrl.navy.mil/aboutdc.htm>

If facsimile proposals are authorized, contracting officers may request offeror(s) to provide the complete; original signed proposal at a later date.

L-3 FAR 52.211-14 - NOTICE OF PRIORITY RATING FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE USE (SEP 1990)

Any contract awarded as a result of this solicitation will be a ☐ DX rated order; ☒ DO rated order certified for national use under the Defense Priorities and Allocations system (DPAS) (15 CFR 700), and the Contractor will be required to follow all of the requirements of this regulation.

L-4 FAR 52.215-20 REQUIREMENTS FOR COST OR PRICING DATA OR INFORMATION OTHER THAN COST OR PRICING DATA (OCT 1997)

(a) *Exceptions from cost or pricing data.* (1) In lieu of submitting cost or pricing data, offerors may submit a written request for exception by submitting the information described in the following subparagraphs. The Contracting Officer may require additional supporting information, but only to the extent necessary to determine whether an exception should be granted, and whether the price is fair and reasonable.

(i) *Identification of the law or regulation establishing the price offered.* If the price is controlled under law by periodic rulings, reviews, or similar actions of a governmental body, attach a copy of the controlling document, unless it was previously submitted to the contracting office.

(ii) *Commercial item exception.* For a commercial item exception, the offeror shall submit, at a minimum, information on prices at which the same item or similar items have previously

been sold in the commercial market that is adequate for evaluating the reasonableness of the price for this acquisition. Such information may include--

(A) For catalog items, a copy of or identification of the catalog and its date, or the appropriate pages for the offered items, or a statement that the catalog is on file in the buying office to which the proposal is being submitted. Provide a copy or describe current discount policies and price lists (published or unpublished), e.g., wholesale, original equipment manufacturer, or reseller. Also explain the basis of each offered price and its relationship to the established catalog price, including how the proposed price relates to the price of recent sales in quantities similar to the proposed quantities.

(B) For market priced items, the source and date or period of the market quotation or other basis for market price, the base amount, and applicable discounts. In addition, describe the nature of the market.

(C) For items included on an active Federal Supply Service Multiple Award Schedule contract, proof that an exception has been granted for the schedule item.

(2) The offeror grants the Contracting Officer or an authorized representative the right to examine, at any time before award, books, records, documents, or other directly pertinent records to verify any request for an exception under this provision, and the reasonableness of price. For items priced using catalog or market prices, or law or regulation, access does not extend to cost or profit information or other data relevant solely to the offeror's determination of the prices to be offered in the catalog or marketplace.

(b) *Requirements for cost or pricing data.* If the offeror is not granted an exception from the requirement to submit cost or pricing data, the following applies:

(1) The offeror shall prepare and submit cost or pricing data and supporting attachments in accordance with Table 15-2 of FAR 15.408.

(2) As soon as practicable after agreement on price, but before contract award (except for unpriced actions such as letter contracts), the offeror shall submit a Certificate of Current Cost or Pricing Data, as prescribed in FAR 15.406-2.

L-5 FAR 52.216-1 - TYPE OF CONTRACT (APR 1984)

The Government contemplates award of a Cost Plus Fixed Fee Term contract resulting from this solicitation.

L-6 FAR 52.233-2 - SERVICE OF PROTEST (AUG 1996)

(a) Protests, as defined in Section 33.101 of the Federal Acquisition Regulation, that are filed directly with an agency, and copies of any protests that are filed with the General Accounting Office (GAO) shall be served on the Contracting Officer (addressed as follows) by obtaining written and dated acknowledgment of receipt from the Control Desk, Code 3200, Bldg. 222, Rm. 115, Naval Research Laboratory, 4555 Overlook Ave., S.W., Washington DC 20375-5326.

(b) The copy of any protest shall be received in the office designated above within one day of filing a protest with the GAO.

L-7 DFARS 252.227-7017 - IDENTIFICATION AND ASSERTION OF USE, RELEASE, OR DISCLOSURE RESTRICTIONS (JUN 1995)

- (a) The terms used in this provision are defined in following clause or clauses contained in this solicitation—
- (1) If a successful offeror will be required to deliver technical data, the Rights in Technical Data--Noncommercial Items clause, or, if this solicitation contemplates a contract under the Small Business Innovative Research Program, the Rights in Noncommercial Technical Data and Computer Software--Small Business Innovative Research (SBIR) Program clause.
 - (2) If a successful offeror will not be required to deliver technical data, the Rights in Noncommercial Computer Software and Noncommercial Computer Software Documentation clause, or, if this solicitation contemplates a contract under the Small Business Innovative Research Program, the Rights in Noncommercial Technical Data and Computer Software--Small Business Innovative Research (SBIR) Program clause.
- (b) The identification and assertion requirements in this provision apply only to technical data, including computer software documents, or computer software to be delivered with other than unlimited rights. For contracts to be awarded under the Small Business Innovative Research Program, the notification requirements do not apply to technical data or computer software that will be generated under the resulting contract. Notification and identification is not required for restrictions based solely on copyright.
- (c) Offers submitted in response to this solicitation shall identify, to the extent known at the time an offer is submitted to the Government, the technical data or computer software that the Offeror, its subcontractors or suppliers, or potential subcontractors or suppliers, assert should be furnished to the Government with restrictions on use, release, or disclosure.
- (d) The Offeror's assertions, including the assertions of its subcontractors or suppliers or potential subcontractors or suppliers shall be submitted as an attachment to its offer in the following format, dated and signed by an official authorized to contractually obligate the Offeror:

Identification and Assertion of Restrictions on the Government's Use, Release, or Disclosure of Technical Data or Computer Software.

The Offeror asserts for itself, or the persons identified below, that the Government's rights to use, release, or disclose the following technical data or computer software should be restricted:

Technical Data Computer Software to be Furnished With Restrictions*	Basis for Assertion **	Asserted Rights Category ***	Name of Person Asserting Restrictions****
(List)*****	(List)	(List)	(List)

* For technical data (other than computer software documentation) pertaining to items, components, or processes developed at private expense, identify both the deliverable technical data and each such items, component, or process. For computer software or computer software documentation identify the software or documentation.

** Generally, development at private expense, either exclusively or partially, is the only basis for asserting restrictions. For technical data, other than computer software documentation,

development refers to development of the item, component, or process to which the data pertain. The Government's rights in computer software documentation generally may not be restricted. For computer software, development refers to the software. Indicate whether development was accomplished exclusively or partially at private expense. If development was not accomplished at private expense, or for computer software documentation, enter the specific basis for asserting restrictions.

- *** Enter asserted rights category (e.g., government purpose license rights from a prior contract, rights in SBIR data generated under another contract, limited, restricted, or government purpose rights under this or a prior contract, or specially negotiated licenses).
- **** Corporation, individual, or other person, as appropriate.
- ***** Enter "none" when all data or software will be submitted without restrictions.

Date _____

Printed Name and Title _____

Signature _____

(End of identification and assertion)

- (e) An offeror's failure to submit, complete, or sign the notification and identification required by paragraph (d) of this provision with its offer may render the offer ineligible for award.
- (f) If the Offeror is awarded a contract, the assertions identified in paragraph (d) of this provision shall be listed in an attachment to that contract. Upon request by the Contracting Officer, the Offeror shall provide sufficient information to enable the Contracting Officer to evaluate any listed assertion.

L-8 DFARS 252.227-7028 - TECHNICAL DATA OR COMPUTER SOFTWARE PREVIOUSLY DELIVERED TO THE GOVERNMENT (JUN 1995)

The Offeror shall attach to its offer an identification of all documents or other media incorporating technical data or computer software it intends to deliver under this contract with other than unlimited rights that are identical or substantially similar to documents or other media that the Offeror has produced for, delivered to, or is obligated to deliver to the Government under any contract or subcontract. The attachment shall identify - -

- (a) The contract number under which the data or software were produced;
- (b) The contract number under which, and the name and address of the organization to whom, the data or software were most recently delivered or will be delivered; and
- (c) Any limitations on the Government's rights to use or disclose the data or software, including, when applicable, identification of the earliest date the limitations expire.

L-9 GOVERNMENT-FURNISHED PROPERTY

No material, labor, or facilities will be furnished by the Government unless provided for in the solicitation.

L-10 INQUIRIES CONCERNING THE RFP

Any questions concerning the RFP must be submitted in writing to the Contracting Officer at the location noted in blocks 7 and 9 of the Standard Form 33, "Solicitation, Offer and Award," no less

than fifteen (15) days before closing. The Government will not consider questions received after this date. Offerors are cautioned against directing any questions concerning this RFP to technical personnel at the Naval Research Laboratory.

L-11 PROPOSAL ORGANIZATION

(1) Information for the technical/management proposal shall be placed in Volume I and be completely separate from the business proposal (Volume II).

(2) Proposal Format and Length - No attempt is made to restrict the proposal format and style. However, the proposal should be written and organized so as to be compatible with the RFP, the Statement of Work, company's organization and accounting structure, and proposed cost estimate. Offerors are encouraged to use recycled paper and maximize the use of double sided copying when preparing responses to solicitations.

L-12 VOLUME I - TECHNICAL/MANAGEMENT PROPOSAL

REQUIRED COPIES: 1 ORIGINAL AND 3 COPIES .

(1) Include a matrix indicating proposed labor hours by skill category required to perform the statement of work. The contractor shall propose in accordance with the level of effort breakdown identified in Section H of this Solicitation.

(2) The following information is required for evaluation of your technical/management :

Technical Subfactor (1): PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS The proposer should provide convincing evidence that the company has, or has the ability, to obtain personnel with relevant experience in the scientific and technical areas described in the Statement of Work. These areas are highly specialized fields and personnel without actual experience in these areas are not acceptable. The proposal should clearly show how each person offered meets the personnel qualifications as detailed in the Solicitation. The proposal should detail each person's qualifications and experience in each area of the Statement of Work. The proposal should specify the amount of effort each person will be performing on this contract, both by the prime contractor as well as any proposed subcontractors

Technical Subfactor (2): COMPANY EXPERIENCE The proposal must provide a narrative description of company experience on projects with scientific and technical tasks similar to those required in the Statement of Work. This description should clearly show: (1) the relationship between the company's experience and the tasks required under the Statement of Work and (2) prior or current programs in the task areas

Technical Subfactor (3): MANAGEMENT ABILITY The proposal must provide a narrative description of company management experience on projects with scientific and technical tasks similar to those required in the Statement of Work. This description should clearly show previous performance at meeting instrument performance, cost and schedule goals on these projects

Technical Subfactor (4): PAST PERFORMANCE

(a) Offerors shall submit the following information as part of their proposal. (*Offerors are encouraged to submit the information prior to other parts of the proposal to assist the government in reducing the length of the evaluation period.*) List the last three contracts or subcontracts completed by the offeror or predecessor companies during the past two years for services similar in nature to this requirement. Include in the three any current contracts or subcontracts for similar services that were awarded at least one year prior to the date of this solicitation. Offerors that have no similar previous or current contracts should provide the requested information for proposed subcontractors that will perform major or critical aspects of the requirement or for the proposed project manager or key personnel responsible for major or critical aspects of the requirement.

1. Name of contracting organization.
2. Contract number
3. Contract type
4. Total contract value
5. Description of the contract work
6. Contracting officer and telephone number
7. Contracting officer's representative, program manager, or similar official and telephone number

(b) Offerors shall contact the contracting organizations identified pursuant to paragraph (a) as soon as possible and request them to send past performance information on the identified contracts to the address in Block 7 of the face page of this solicitation. The past performance report which is available electronically in full text at <http://heron.nrl.navy.mil/contracts/home.htm> is to be provided to the contracting organization for this purpose. If the contracting organization has already collected past performance information on the contract pursuant to FAR Subpart 42.15, the format used to collect the information may be used instead of the past performance report.

(c) Offerors may include in their proposals specific information relating to problems encountered in performing the identified contracts and any corrective actions by the offeror. Offerors should not provide general information on their performance on the identified contracts as this will be obtained from the contracting organizations.

L-13 VOLUME II - BUSINESS PROPOSAL

REQUIRED COPIES: 1 ORIGINAL AND 3 COPIES

(1) COST PROPOSAL

The offeror shall submit a business proposal that includes a cost proposal with supporting information for each cost element consistent with offeror's cost accounting system. The supporting breakdown should include such elements as materials, direct labor, indirect cost, and other costs such as travel. The offeror shall provide exhibits as necessary to substantiate each cost element. The offeror shall provide one soft copy of their cost proposal in PC Excel format. Should rates be used in the proposal which are not DCAA approved, the offeror shall provide complete documentation and the rationale for their use at time of proposal submission. However, offerors are advised to use actual labor rates of proposed personnel as the basis for estimating labor costs when practicable. The Government estimates travel cost to be \$2K for local travel each year. The offeror shall include the estimated travel cost plus applicable indirect cost in their proposal.

(2) SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION

(a) In addition to complying with the clause at FAR 52.219-9, Small Business Subcontracting Plan (JAN 2002) with its Alternate II (OCT 2000), proposals must include information to permit evaluation of the extent of participation of small businesses and historical black colleges or universities and minority institutions in performance of the contract. Participation to be identified may be in the form of a joint venture, teaming arrangement, or subcontract. Small business concerns that are not required by FAR 52.219-9 to submit a subcontracting plan must indicate the extent to which proposed joint ventures, teaming arrangements, or subcontracts are with historically black colleges or universities and minority institutions. Information provided should include the extent of participation of such firms in terms of the value of the total acquisition and the complexity and variety of the work such firms are to perform.

(b) Proposals must also include information to permit evaluation of the extent of participation of small disadvantaged business concerns in performance of the contract. See the provision at FAR 52.219-24, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program--Targets (OCT 2000), and the clause at 52.219-25, Small Disadvantaged Business Participation Program--Disadvantaged Status and Reporting (OCT 1999). Any targets will be incorporated into and become part of any resulting contract. Information provided should include the extent of participation of such firms in terms of the value of the total acquisition and the complexity and variety of the work such firms are to perform.

SECTION M

EVALUATION FACTORS FOR AWARD

M-1 EVALUATION

Award will be made to that offeror whose proposal is determined to be the best value to the Government, proposed cost and other factors considered. The Government reserves the right to make award to other than the low offeror. Although technical considerations are more important than the cost factor, the closer the technical scores of the various proposals are to one another, the more important the business considerations become. The following technical subfactors are listed in descending order of importance.

Technical Subfactor (1): PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS: The proposal will be evaluated on the offeror's demonstrated ability to provide personnel with: (1) the appropriate qualifications as set forth in Enclosure (1) of the Statement of Work; and (2) actual relevant experience in the technical and scientific areas set forth in the Statement of Work.

Technical Subfactor (2): COMPANY EXPERIENCE: The proposal will be evaluated on the offeror's demonstrated company experience in performing projects requiring scientific and technical effort which is closely similar or related to the scientific and technical efforts set forth in the Statement of Work.

Technical Subfactor (3): MANAGEMENT ABILITY: The proposal will be evaluated on the offeror's demonstrated management ability and success in managing projects of similar complexity and duration as that set forth in the Statement of Work.

Technical Subfactor (4): PAST PERFORMANCE: Past performance will be evaluated on the basis of the quality of the work performed, timeliness of performance, cost control, and business relations. The evaluation will be based on the information provided pursuant to Section L and other sources if available. The evaluation will take into account past performance information regarding predecessor companies, subcontractors that will perform major or critical aspects of the requirement, or the proposed project manager or key personnel responsible for major or critical aspects of the requirement. Offerors that have no relevant performance history or for which past performance information is not available will not be evaluated favorably or unfavorably on past performance. The government may begin proposal evaluation prior to receipt of past performance information. If, after completion of proposal evaluation except evaluation of past performance, the contracting officer determines that evaluation of past performance will not affect the outcome of competitive selection, the contracting officer may waive its evaluation in accordance with FAR 15.304(c)(3)(iv).

M-2 COST TO THE GOVERNMENT

Proposed estimated cost to the Government. The Government may adjust the proposed cost for purposes of evaluation based upon an evaluation of cost realism. Cost Realism means that the costs in an offeror's proposal are realistic for the work to be performed; reflect a clear understanding of the requirements; and are consistent with the various elements of the offeror's technical proposal. The cost realism evaluation includes an analysis of the adequacy of the hours, labor mix, and other direct costs to perform the work as proposed in the technical proposal as well as the proposed labor and indirect rates. It also includes evaluation of the likelihood that the risks inherent in the offeror's technical approach will result in higher actual costs than anticipated.

M-3 SMALL BUSINESS PARTICIPATION

- (a) The extent of participation of small businesses and historically black colleges or universities and minority institutions in performance of the contract will be evaluated on the basis of the proposed extent of participation of such firms in terms of the value of the total acquisition and the complexity and variety of the work such firms are to perform.
- (b) The extent of participation of small disadvantaged business concerns in performance of the contract will be evaluated on the basis of the proposed extent of participation of such firms in terms of the value of the total acquisition and the complexity and variety of the work such firms are to perform.

M-4 FAR 52.217-5 - EVALUATION OF OPTIONS (JUL 1990)

Except when it is determined in accordance with FAR 17.206(b) not to be in the Government's best interests, the Government will evaluate offers for award purposes by adding the total price for all options to the total price for the basic requirement. Evaluation of options will not obligate the Government to exercise the option(s).

STATEMENT OF WORK

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT SERVICES

FOR NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY OPTICAL SCIENCES DIVISION

1.0 Introduction

1.1 The Naval Research Laboratory (NRL), Optical Sciences Division (OSD) conducts an Airborne Reconnaissance Program to research and develop airborne optical sensor systems, and sensor fusion and precision targeting systems such as the NRL Sensor Node (NSN). OSD also conducts development programs for Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) payloads. OSD performs system evaluations of new framing-camera, hyperspectral-sensor, solid-state recorder, data-linking, and ground processing technology for sponsors such as OPNAV and ONR. System evaluations include integration of a variety of sensors, recorder and data-link hardware, and test equipment onto NRL P-3 aircraft and conducting test flights. OSD also has the responsibility of developing, building, and evaluating prototype reconnaissance and surveillance systems for manned aircraft such as the F-14, F-18, and P-3, and for UAVs such as NRL's Dragon Warrior. This SOW defines the software engineering, data analysis, and other technical tasks required to coordinate and accomplish the design, development, testing, and systems integration of sensors, storage devices, and data links and control software into prototypes in support of OSD's Airborne Reconnaissance and UAV development Programs.

2.0 SCOPE

This Statement of Work is for support for NRL OSD's programs to cover follow-on work with existing projects and new program development. This effort includes the full spectrum of software and technical services to coordinate and accomplish: concept formulation, data analysis, engineering development and testing, demonstration, and validation.

3.0 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

3.0.1 The contractor will be tasked by individual, technical direction letters to provide software engineering and technical services. These services shall provide the Optical Sciences Division with, but are not limited to, software design, software development, hardware recommendations, project coordination, installation and test of hardware and software, software maintenance, operational test support, and data analysis.

3.1 Specific requirements may include the following:

1. The contractor shall provide software programming services to design and perform experiments to research Target Designation Error in support of the Precision Strike project. The contractor shall provide experiment designs, new digital images with truth, experiment application software, experiment results, experiment analysis, and oral weekly status reports. The contractor shall provide an estimate of the best performance obtainable (minimum error) in locating a target in two or more sequential digital images by a computer-aided human, and a recommendation for procedures and algorithms to achieve it.
2. The contractor shall provide software programming services for quick reaction capability projects. The contractor shall provide FPGA programming support and develop C language software under the direction of NRL personnel.
3. The contractor shall provide engineering services to NRL for development, integration, and testing of optical sensor data processing systems, such as for camera controllers used by NRL Optical Sciences Division aboard their P-3 aircraft. The contractor shall also provide consultation for evaluation and integration of flight and ground hardware and software. The contractor shall help collect data in the field and catalog image data.
4. The contractor shall provide earned value management analysis and program tracking for multiple programs in UAV, ShipboardIRST and other sensor-payload developments. The contractor shall provide work breakdown Structure, perform monthly financial analyses and program assessments to track and verify program schedules and budgets.
5. The contractor shall deliver source code for all delivered software along with product description and user documentation. Contractor personnel shall be available on-site at NRL for meetings and equipment tests. Contractor personnel shall also travel to flight test and deployment sites, as directed by NRL personnel.
6. Under the contract Option, the contractor shall support insertion of the developed products into Engineering Development Models of prototype systems.

3.2 Personnel Qualifications

This effort requires senior-level software design engineer, middle-level software coding support, and senior-level engineer for flight test and deployment support. Familiarity with framing-camera control and interfaces to attitude-control and inertial-measurement systems, especially for the P-3 aircraft, with integration of database and communication software for optical sensor systems, and with Precision Targeting concepts for optical sensors and data-control interfaces is essential. Detailed Personnel Qualifications are specified in enclosure (1).

3.3 Periodic Reports Requirements

The contractor shall prepare quarterly progress and cost reports detailing completed efforts, pertinent results, plans, and milestones. The reports shall detail the effort expended by the contractor and it shall also reflect any anticipated or needed efforts in areas not specifically planned.

PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS

Senior-Level Engineer for Software Design. Minimum Desired Requirements for this Engineer are

- Bachelors degree in science, engineering, or mathematics. Masters degree preferred.
- 15 years experience in aerospace systems, in general. This includes 10 years senior-level experience in full software development cycle, from design through operations for Navy aircraft such as P-3, F-14, and F-18.
- Experience in designing computer programs for the operation of prototype airborne reconnaissance systems
- ability to project and track labor and material costs for aerospace projects
- experience with a wide range of types of computers; embedded microprocessors, especially employing Motorola Power PC and Texas Instruments TMS320C series processors; programming languages such as Fortran, C, Ada and C++; and operating systems, especially real-time operating systems such as VxWorks, as well as Unix, Linux, and SunOS.
- ability to analyze, maintain, and develop software code, using client-specified programming tools
- ability to integrate and test hardware and software components supplied by various vendors, especially data-communication hardware and software such as Mil-Std 1553 and ARINC buses, Fibrechannel, and Gigabit Ethernet
- ability to design and perform software test procedures, from box-level through system-level
- experience in management and systems engineering for software development and maintenance, and familiarity with various standard application programs for Windows-based and Unix-based PC systems, requirements analysis, design, development and engineering.

Senior-level Engineer for Integration, Test, and Analysis. Minimum Desired Requirements for this Engineer are

- Bachelors degree in science, engineering, or mathematics
- 5-10 years experience in aerospace systems, in general
- experience with full software development cycle of aerospace software systems, from design through operations for Navy aircraft such as P-3, F-14, and F-18.
- Experience in designing computer programs for analysis of reconnaissance imagery and for geolocation
- experience with a wide range of types of computers; embedded microprocessors, especially employing Motorola Power PC and Texas Instruments TMS320C series processors; programming languages such as Fortran, C, Ada and C++; and operating systems, especially real-time operating systems such as VxWorks, as well as Unix, Linux, and SunOS.

Enclosure (1)

- ability to analyze, maintain, and develop software code, using client-specified programming tools
- ability to integrate and test hardware and software components supplied by various vendors, especially data-communication hardware and software such as Mil-Std 1553 bus, Fibrechannel, and Gigabit Ethernet
- ability to design and perform box-level test procedures
- familiarity with various standard application programs for Windows-based and Unix-based PC systems

Mid-Level Engineer for Software Coding and Testing. Minimum Desired Requirements for this Engineer are

- Bachelors degree in science, engineering, or mathematics.
- 10 years experience in aerospace systems, in general. This includes 6 years experience in full software development cycle, including database systems and operational training.
- ability to project and track labor and material costs for aerospace projects
- demonstrated experience in tracking technology efforts to include expertise in financial management, planning, scheduling, estimating, budget analysis, and forecasting, for technology efforts valued in excess of \$1.0M.
- ability to design and perform box-level and software test procedures
- familiarity with various standard application programs for Windows-based and Unix-based PC systems

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A. CONTRACT LINE ITEM NO. 0002				B. EXHIBIT A		C. CATEGORY: TDP _____ TM _____ OTHER _____			
D. SYSTEM / ITEM				E. CONTRACT / PR NO. 56-9314-04		F. CONTRACTOR			
1. DATA ITEM NO. A001		2. TITLE OF DATA ITEM Cost and Performance Reports				3. SUBTITLE			
4. AUTHORITY (Data Acquisition Document No.)				5. CONTRACT REFERENCE SOW Paragraph 3.3		6. REQUIRING OFFICE NRL COR			
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1. DATA ITEM NO. A002		2. TITLE OF DATA ITEM Final Technical Report				3. SUBTITLE			
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